IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Liu et al. § Group Art Unit: 3694

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For: Method and Apparatus for

Identifying Cross-Selling Opportunities Based on Profitability

Analysis

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NOTICE OF REINSTATEMENT OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby reinstates their appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action dated April 1, 2008 finally rejecting claims 1, 11.

No fee is believed to be necessary. If, however, a fee is required, please charge this fee to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0457. In the event that any additional fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0457. A one month extension of time is believed to be necessary. The extension is requested and the fee for this extension should be charged to Yee & Associates P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-3157.

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